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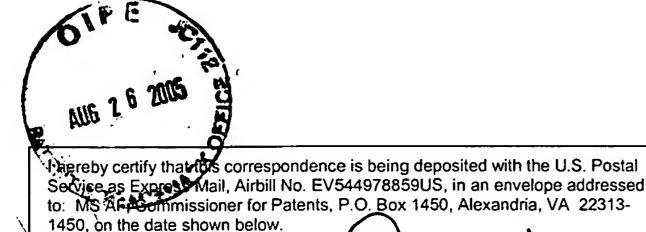
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Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

This is in response to the final Office Action dated June 29, 2005, for which a response is due on September 29, 2005. This response is filed within two months of the issuance of the final Office Action and therefore qualifies for expedited review. Accordingly, this response is timely filed and an advisory action is respectfully requested. Reconsideration and allowance of the pending claims, as amended, in light of the remarks presented herein are respectfully requested.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.